



**COAST GUARD**  
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**MARINE SAFETY INFORMATION BULLETIN 28-02**

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**HURRICANE CONDITION FOUR RESET IN THE  
PORTS OF JACKSONVILLE, FERNANDINA AND CANAVERAL**

Effective immediately, **Hurricane Condition WHISKEY** is set in the Ports of Jacksonville, Fernandina, and Canaveral. Tropical Storm **EDOUARD** remains a minimal tropical system and is forecasted to continue to weaken as it approaches the east coast of Florida. Although sustained gale force winds are not predicted, all maritime interests are advised to maintain a vigilant watch for associated rain bands and squalls. It is anticipated that **Hurricane Condition Four** will be set at 0800 September 5, 2002.

The Captain of the Port extends his appreciation to the port community for the quick actions taken to reduce the risk to the public waterways. MSO Jacksonville is interested in any comments from the maritime community regarding the current Heavy Weather Plan and recommendations for improvement. Please forward any comments to Hurricane Officer at the above address.

For additional information please contact Coast Guard Marine Safety Office (904) 232-2640 ext. 152.

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